

Practitioner's Docket No. MM8845US

PATENT

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of: Yuichi Ueda

Confirmation No.: 1950

Application No.: 10/796,508

Group No.: 3652

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Examiner: Charles N. Greenhut

For: ARTICLE CONVEYING APPARATUS

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37 C.F.R. § 1.116
EXPEDITED PROCEDURE
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AMENDMENT OR RESPONSE AFTER FINAL REJECTION--TRANSMITTAL

1. Transmitted herewith is an amendment after final rejection (37 C.F.R. 1.116) for this application.

STATUS

2. Applicant is other than a small entity.

CERTIFICATION UNDER 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.8(a) and 1.10*

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EXTENSION OF TERM

3. The proceedings herein are for a patent application and the provisions of 37 C.F.R. 1.136 apply. Applicant believes that no extension of term is required. However, this conditional petition is being made to provide for the possibility that applicant has inadvertently overlooked the need for a petition for extension of time.

FEE FOR CLAIMS

4. The fee for claims (37 C.F.R. 1.16(b)-(d)) has been calculated as shown below:

	(Col.1)		(Col. 2)	(Col. 3)		OTHER THAN SMALL ENTITY		
	CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT		HIGHEST NO PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR	PRESENT EXTRA		RATE	ADDIT. FEE	
TOTAL	5	MINUS	20	= 0	x	\$ 50.00	= \$	0.00
INDEP	1	MINUS	3	= 0	x	\$ 200.00	= \$	0
FIRST PRESENTATION OF MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIM					+	\$ 0.00	= \$	0.00
TOTAL							\$	0.00
ADDIT. FEE								

No additional fee for claims is required.

FEE DEFICIENCY

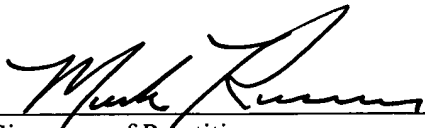
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